

Small Talk

October 2009

Key Question:
Who made everything?

Basic Truth:
God Made Me

Bottom Line:
God made everything.

Memory Verse:
"You made the world and
everything in it."
Psalms 89:11, NCV



BIBLE STORY SUMMARIES:

Week 1

Genesis 1:1-5

God made light and dark.

Week 2

Genesis 1:6-8

God made sky and water.

Week 3

Genesis 1:9-13

God made land, plants, and sea.

Week 4

Genesis 1:14-19

God made the sun, moon, and stars.



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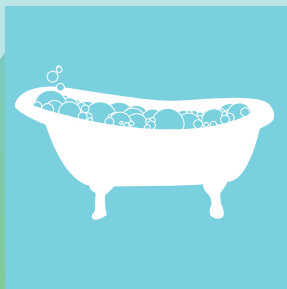
Play Time

God made light and dark. Have some fun with flashlights this month to help your preschooler understand light and dark. After dinner, give the entire family a flashlight and turn off the lights. Have the adults move around and the kids try to "tag" them with their lights. Before bed, crawl under all the covers with the lights off. Discuss how dark it is. Then, switch on a flashlight to show the light.



Car Time

Download this month's song, "Creation Musical," from www.amberskyrecords.com. Your preschooler will be learning this song one week at a time at church. After listening several times all the way through the song, pause after a verse and see if your preschooler knows what God made next. Ask your preschooler to show you the hand motions he has learned.



Bath Time

God made water. All the water on the Earth! That is awesome. What can you do with water? Add measuring cups, funnels, strainers, and spoons to bath time this month. Practice measuring and pouring water. Practice stirring the water with the spoon. Will the water stay in the strainer? What happens when there are holes in a container? Water is so much fun! Pray and thank God for making it.



Cuddle Time

Cuddle up with your preschooler and pray with him. "Dear God, thank you so much for making everything. Thank you for making the light and the dark. Thank you for making the sky and the water. Thank you for making everything I need." As the month progresses, let your child list things he is thankful that God made.



Imagine the End:

Parents,
Imagine your child knowing with absolute certainty that God made everything. God made it all, and we are blessed to live in it. What a powerful truth to live by.

Make it Personal:

Pray for your child to know that God made them and loves them. Read through the story of creation found in Genesis and marvel at the awesomeness of God. That He spoke the world into being.



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